

First measurement of the Top quark mass in pp collisions at $s^{1/2}=7$ TeV

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Introduction: why measure m_{top} ?

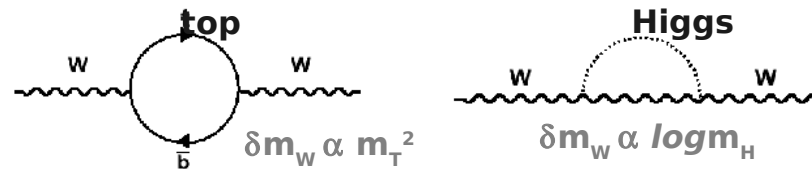
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- The **top quark mass is a fundamental parameter** of the Standard Model (SM)

→ Known with great accuracy from the Tevatron: $173.3 \pm 1.1 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ [arXiv:1007.3178v1](#)

(but has never measured outside the Tevatron until now)

→ Indirect constraint on the Higgs boson mass via EW corrections Higgs mass



- **Measuring precisely m_W and m_{top}**

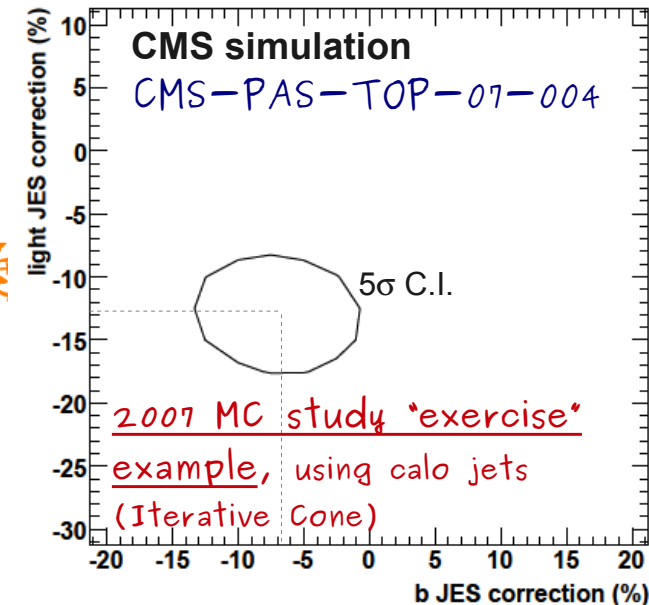
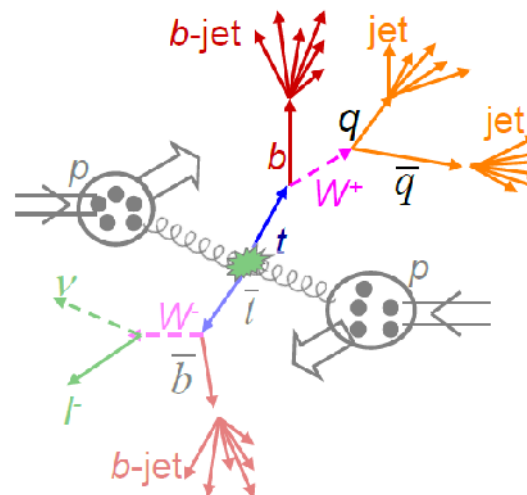
→ Test the consistency of the SM

→ Search for new Physics

→ **Calibrate the detectors:**

determine jet energy scale

(only process which can calibrate the b-jet energy scale)



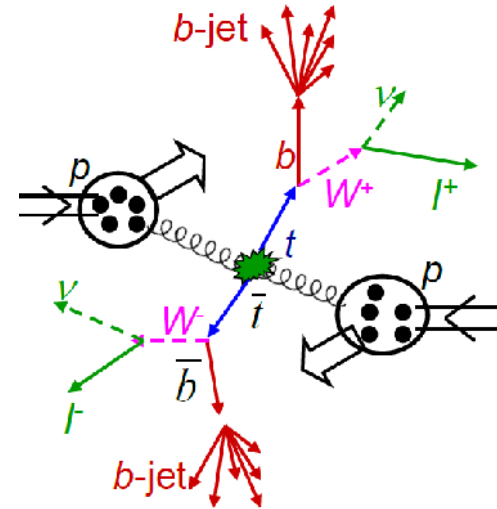


Main challenges in measuring m_{top} in the dilepton channel

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- The dilepton channel is chosen for this measurement ►
 - Lowest statistics BR $\approx 5/81$
 - Distinct signature, background is small
- Reconstruct final state products \Rightarrow reconstruct bare mass

$$\sigma(m_{\text{top}}) \sim \frac{\Delta m/m}{\sqrt{N_{\text{good assignments}}}}$$



Combinatorics

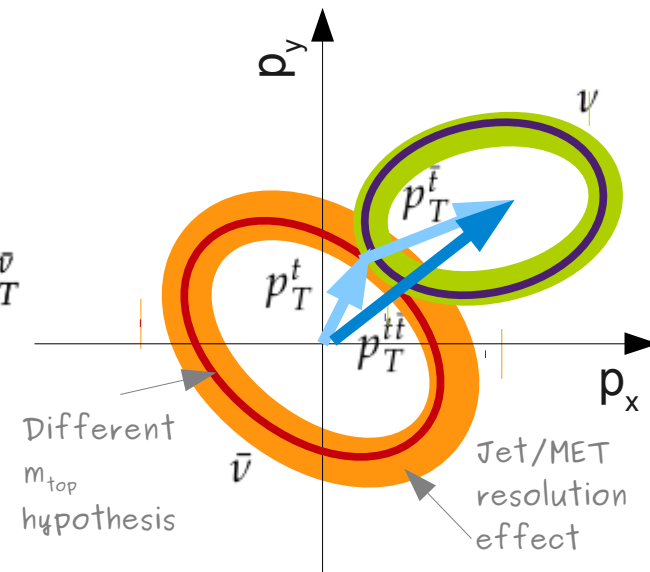
- ISR/FSR introduces further complexity for selection
($\approx 70\%$ of the events expected to have both b-jets)

Missing transverse energy

- 2 neutrinos constrained in the transverse plane $\Rightarrow \vec{E}_T^{\text{miss}} = \vec{p}_T^{\nu} + \vec{p}_T^{\bar{\nu}}$

Jet energy scale/resolution

- m_{top} reconstruction requires measuring the parton energy



Event selection

Two leptons, at least two jets
and missing transverse energy
are required to select $t\bar{t} \rightarrow (l^-\bar{\nu}_l b) (l^+ \nu_l \bar{b})$
from pp collisions at $s^{1/2}=7$ TeV

Note: for details on the CMS detector cf. K. Hoepfner's talk



Event selection

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- **Inclusive single lepton trigger** ▶

→ Most data triggered by: muon with $p_T > 15$ GeV/c ($\mu\mu/e\mu$) or electron with $E_T > 17$ GeV ($ee/e\mu$)

- **≥ 2 leptons**, $p_T > 20$ GeV/c $|\eta| < 2.5$

→ Isolated and promptly produced

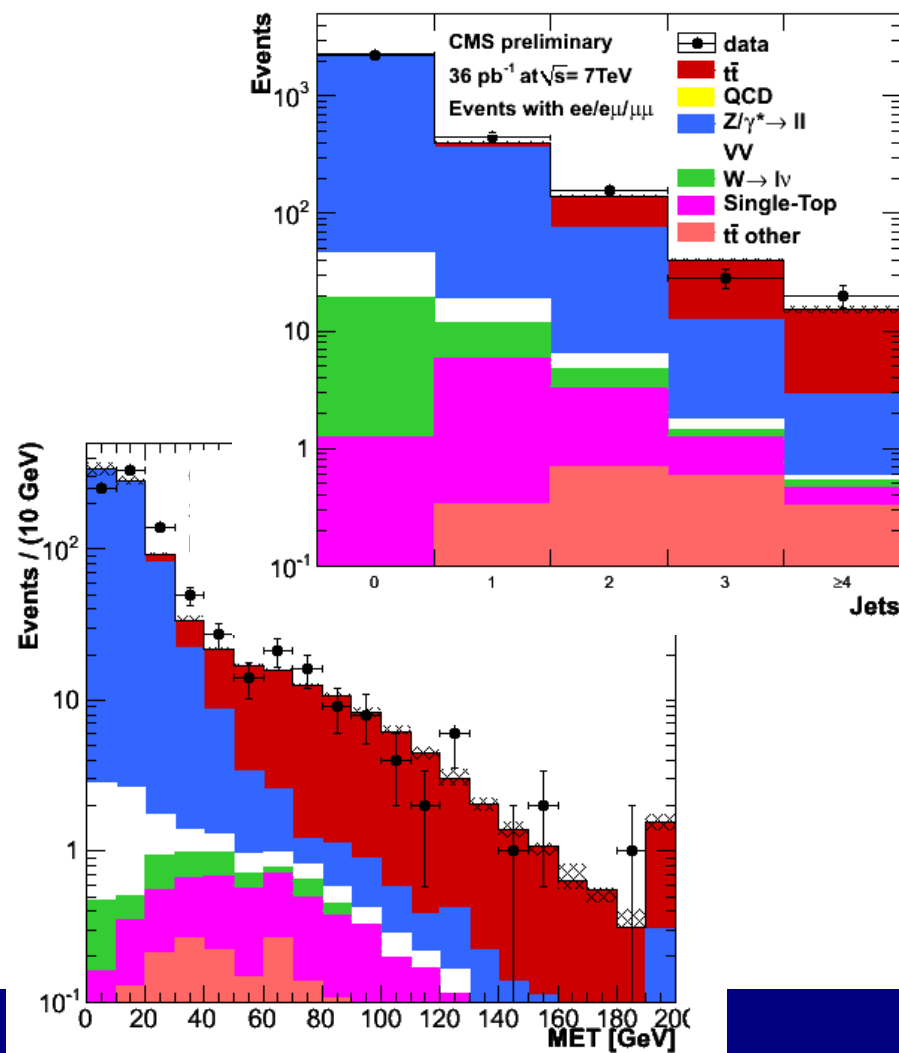
- **Leading Σp_T op. sign dilepton**

→ $M > 12$ GeV/ c^2 and $|M - M_Z| > 15$ GeV/ c^2 for $ee/\mu\mu$

- **≥ 2 jets**, $p_T > 30$ GeV/c $|\eta| < 2.5$

→ Anti- k_T ($R=0.5$), particle flow based algorithm

- **MET > 30 (20) GeV** for the $ee/\mu\mu$ ($e\mu$) channel

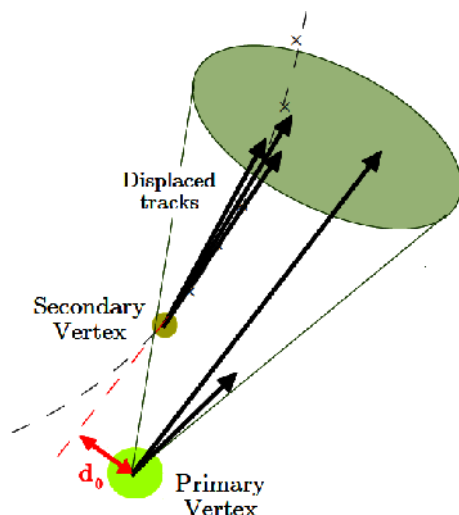


b-tagging information

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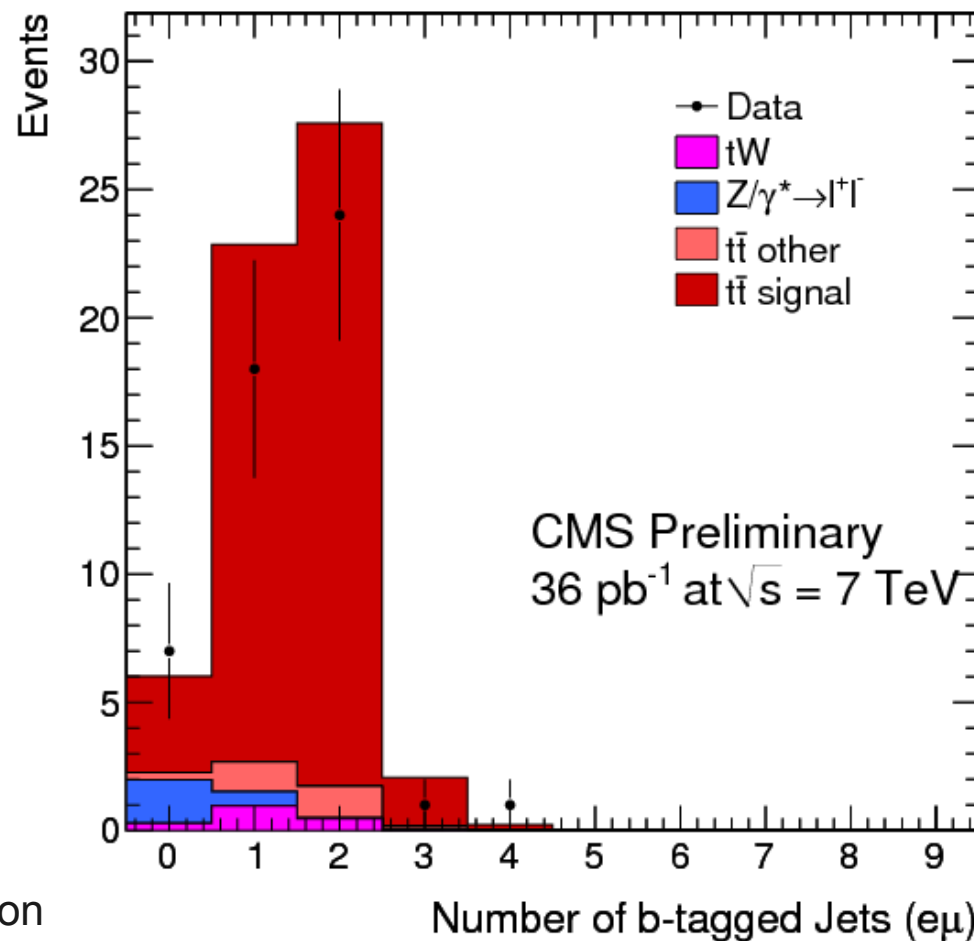
Good agreement of b-tag multiplicity is observed

b-tagging is not used in the event selection



- **b-tagging information is used to rank the jets which enter the mass reconstruction**
- Jets in the selected sample can be b-tagged

- Loose discrimination ($\epsilon_b \sim 80\%$ / $\epsilon_q \sim 10\%$)
- Prefer b-tagged jets for top mass reconstruction
- Increases good jet assignment rate by 16% with respect to a p_T based choice





Selected dilepton sample

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m_{top} measurement is based on the 102 events selected in data

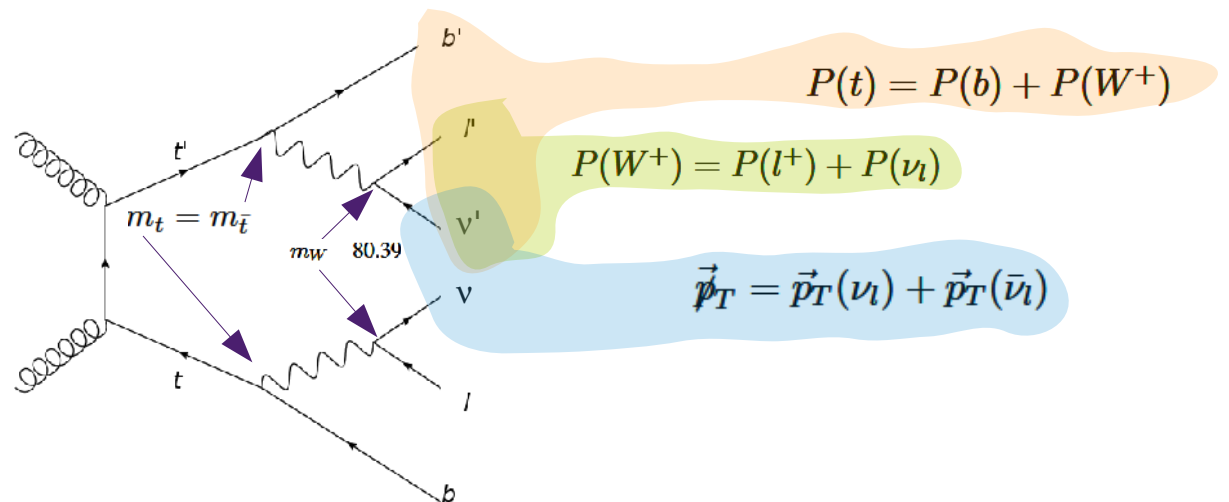
Use 36 pb^{-1} of integrated luminosity

Close agreement with direct MC expectations

Selection cut	Data	Total expected	$t\bar{t}$ signal	Total background
pre-tagged sample				
≥ 2 isolated leptons	27257	28934 ± 49	158.8 ± 0.9	28775 ± 49
opposite sign	26779	28545 ± 42	157.3 ± 0.9	28388 ± 42
Z/quarkonia-veto	2878	2873 ± 27	139.3 ± 0.8	2734 ± 27
≥ 2 jets	204	193 ± 2	103.1 ± 0.7	90 ± 2
\cancel{E}_T	102	$108.5 \pm 0.9^{+3}_{-2}$	$92.1 \pm 0.7^{+2}_{-1}$	$16.3 \pm 0.7^{+1}_{-1}$
b -tagged sample				
$= 0$ b -tag	19	$15.9 \pm 0.6^{+13}_{-8}$	$6.9 \pm 0.2^{+7}_{-3}$	$9.0 \pm 0.6^{+6}_{-5}$
$= 1$ b -tag	35	$40.9 \pm 0.5^{+17}_{-14}$	$35.7 \pm 0.4^{+9}_{-8}$	$5.1 \pm 0.4^{+8}_{-6}$
≥ 2 b -tags	48	$51.7 \pm 0.5^{+14}_{-16}$	$49.5 \pm 0.5^{+11}_{-15}$	$2.2 \pm 0.2^{+3}_{-1}$

Top Mass Measurement

The top quark mass is reconstructed from the dilepton, the two b jets and the neutrinos whose momenta are constrained by the MET measurement



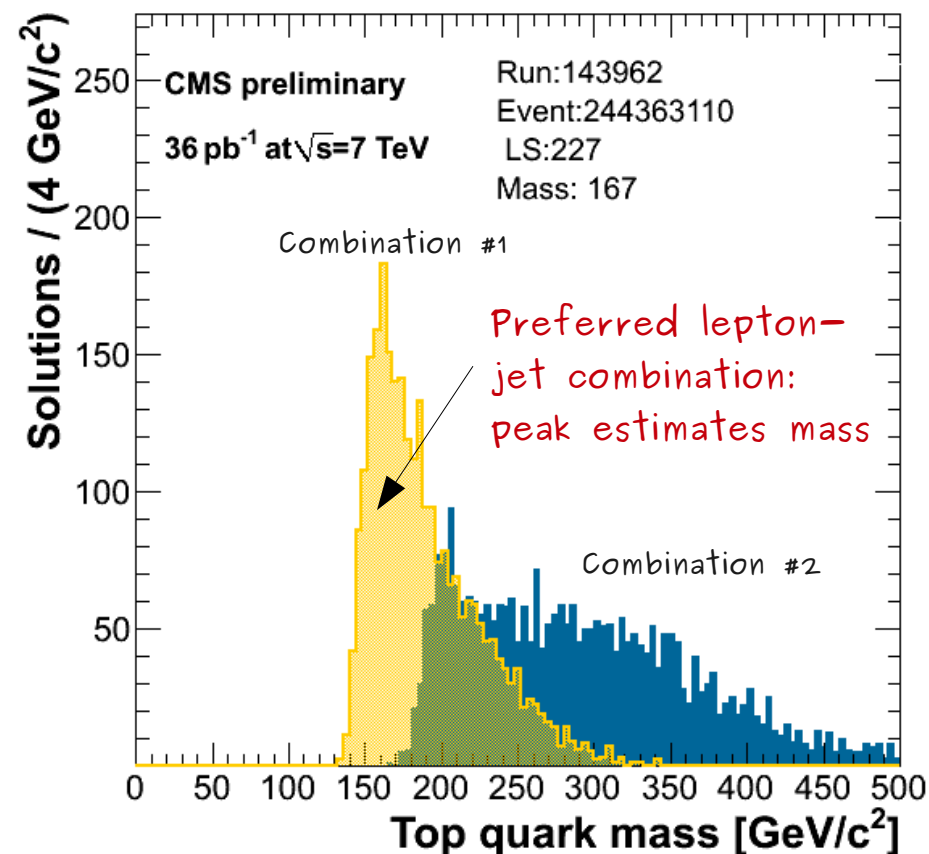
Top mass reconstruction*

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Full Kinematics Analysis (KINb)

Original method from CDF PRD 73 (2006)

- Equations are numerically solved for each **lepton-jet combination** (10^4 times)
 - Each time draw a random value for $p_z(\text{top}) + p_z(\text{anti-top}) + \text{smear jet resolution}$
 - Accept solutions if two decay legs agree within $\Delta m_{\text{top}} < 3 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ ▶



(*) Jet resolution is smeared consistently according to expectations

- Smear randomly original jet energy / MET scales and resolution
- Update MET measurement accordingly: $\vec{p}_T' = \vec{p}_T - (\Delta J_1 ES - 1)\vec{p}_{T1} - (\Delta J_2 ES - 1)\vec{p}_{T2}$



Top mass reconstruction*

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Analytical Matrix Weighting Technique (AMWT)

Original method from D0 Phys. Rev. Lett. 80 (1998)

- **Iterate m_{top} hypothesis** to solve kinematic equations ($100\text{-}700 \text{ GeV}/c^2$) for each combination
 - Up to 8 solutions can be found
 - **For each weights are assigned based on pdf and kinematic quantities** (lepton energy)

$$w = \left\{ \sum F(x_1)F(\bar{x}_2) \right\} p(E_{\ell^+}^* | m_t) p(E_{\ell^-}^* | m_t)$$
 - From **inclusive weight distribution estimate top mass** (peak)
 - No preferred lepton-jet assignment
- Process is repeated 10^3 (10^2) times in data (MC) according to expected jet energy resolution

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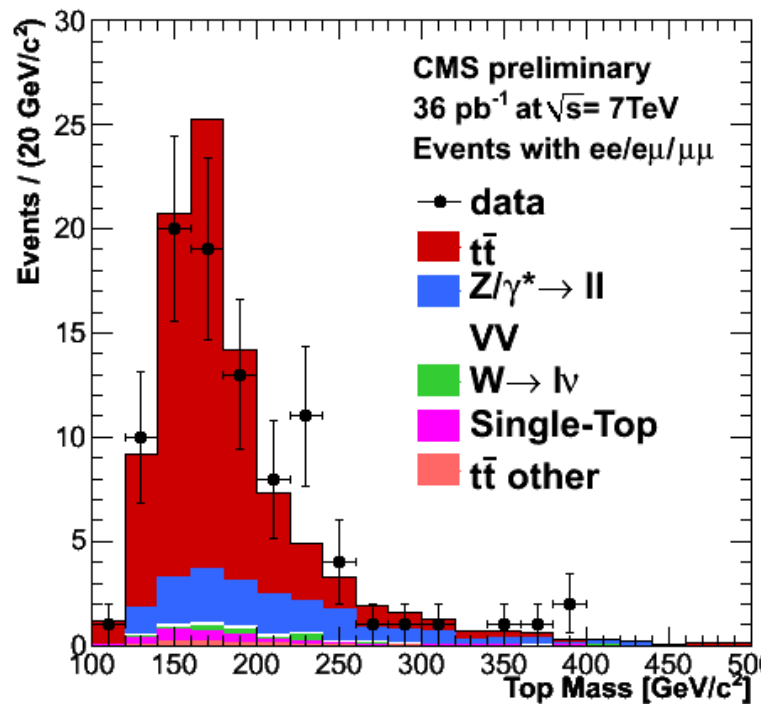
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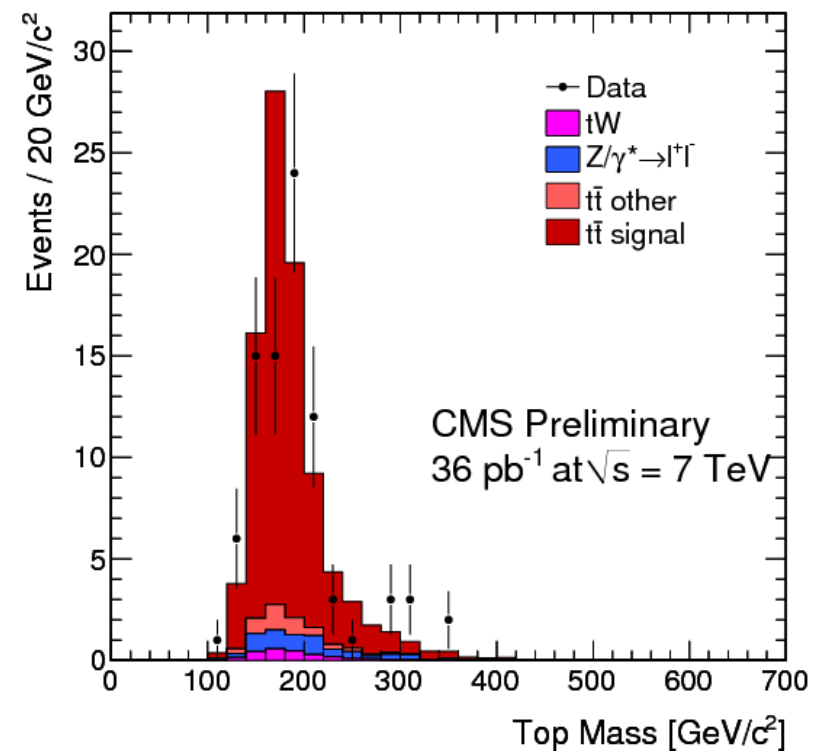
Top mass distributions

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KINb



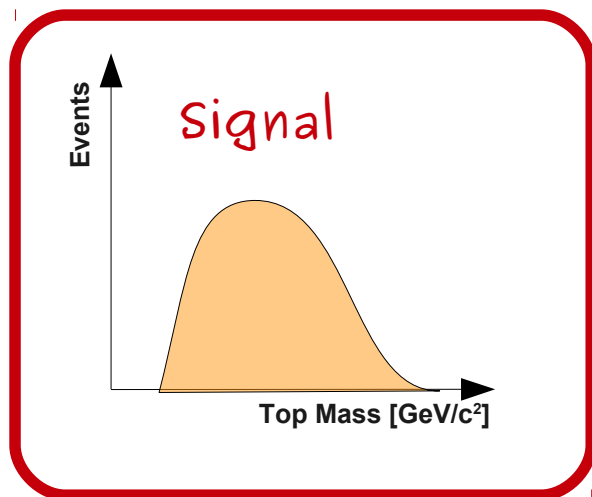
AMWT



There is an overall good agreement with expectations for $m_{\text{top}}=172.5 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
 For top mass measurement restrict to $100 < m < 300 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

Signal modeling

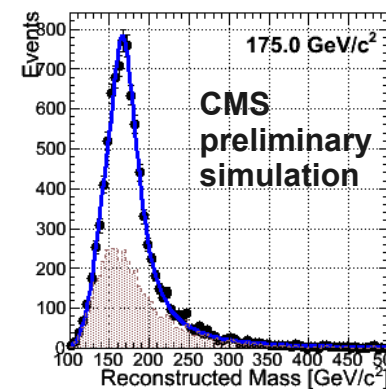
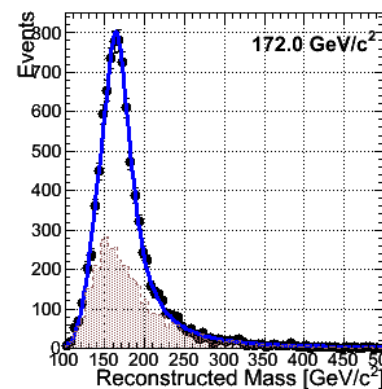
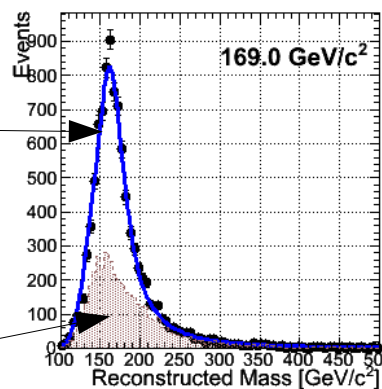
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- The signal mass template shape is modeled from MC
 - Measurement is calibrated to the generator m_{top}
- Use different top mass scenarios
 - Madgraph based (includes full simulation of the CMS detector)
 - 151-199 GeV/c^2 covered in steps of 3 GeV/c^2
- Signal templates
 - **AMWT**: taken directly from MC prediction
 - **KINb**: parametrized from a combined fit (Landau+Gauss) ▼

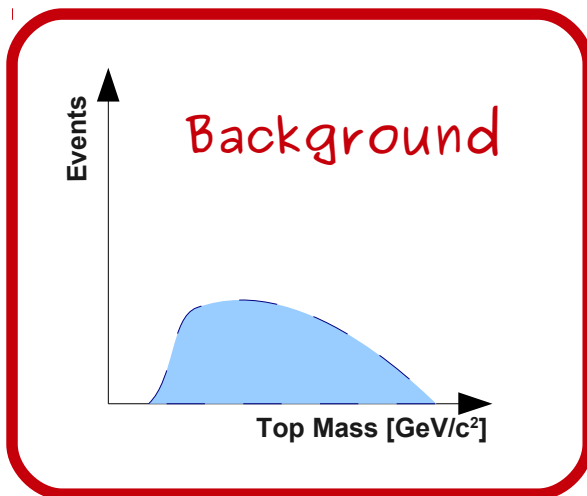
Combined parameterization
to different mass points

Contribution from lepton-jet
misassignments in the KIN method



Background modeling

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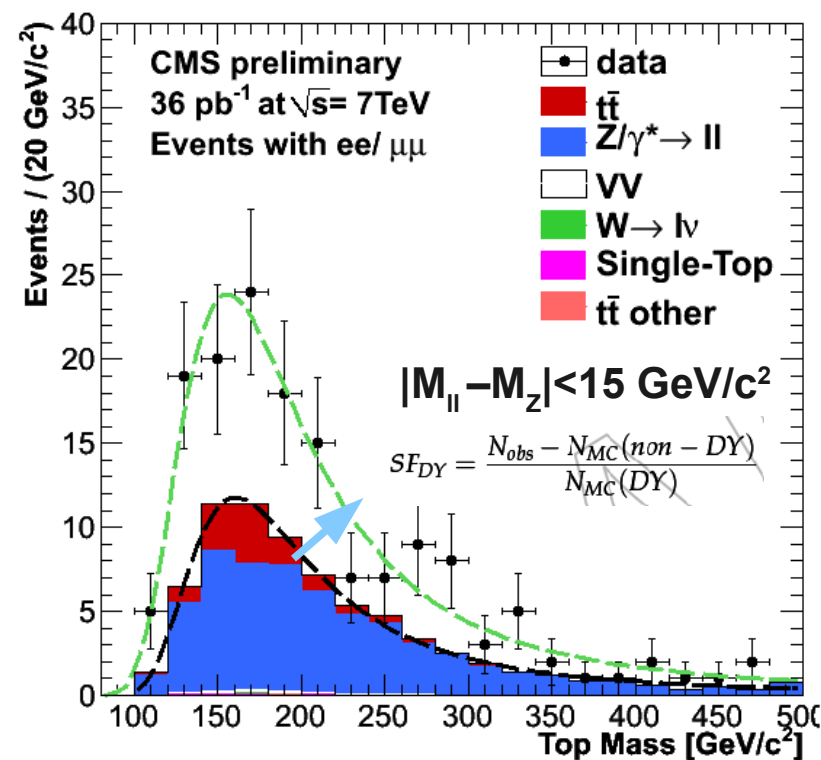
- Background is parametrized from MC and data
- Single top, other $t\bar{t}$, W +jets, di-boson: MC prediction
- Drell-Yan, controlled from $Z \rightarrow l^+l^-$ events

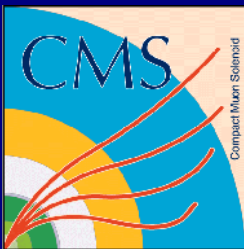
- Re-scale DY yields to signal region from control region

KINb: direct scale factor from “top mass” spectrum ▶

AMWT: use prediction for events outside the Z peak (R_{in}/R_{out})

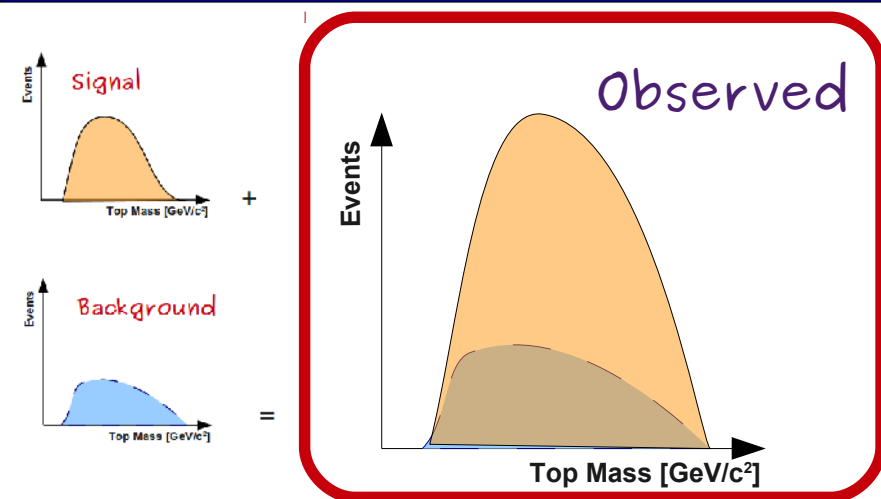
Alternative methods yield compatible results



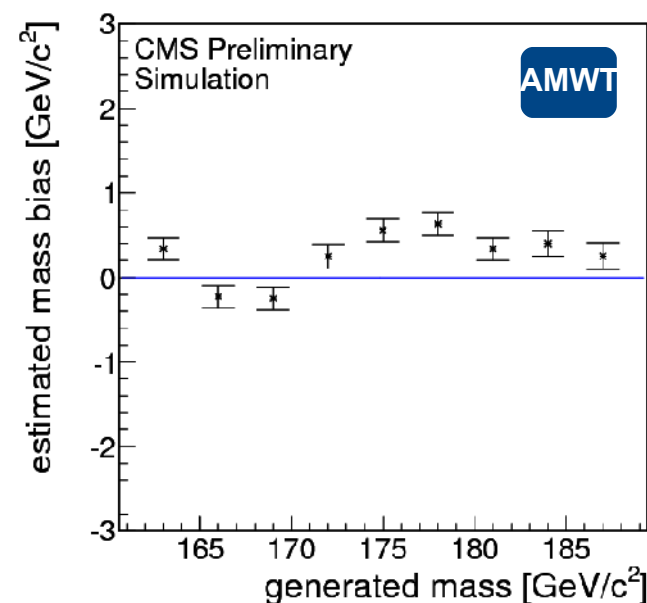
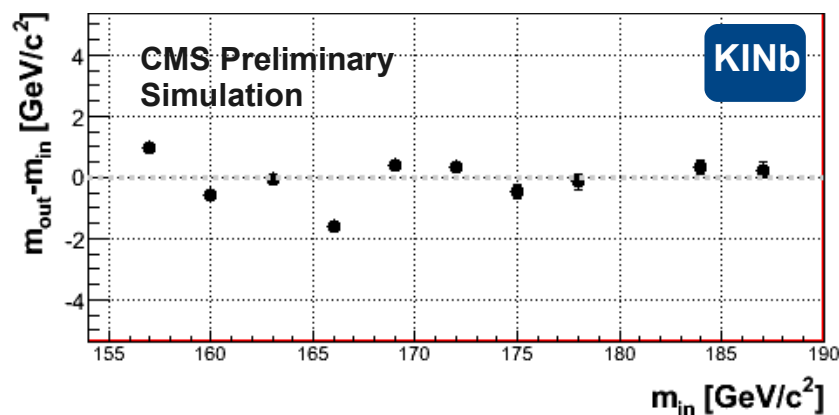


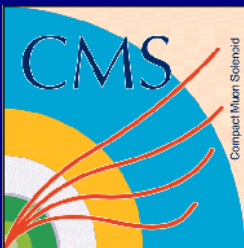
Top quark mass fit

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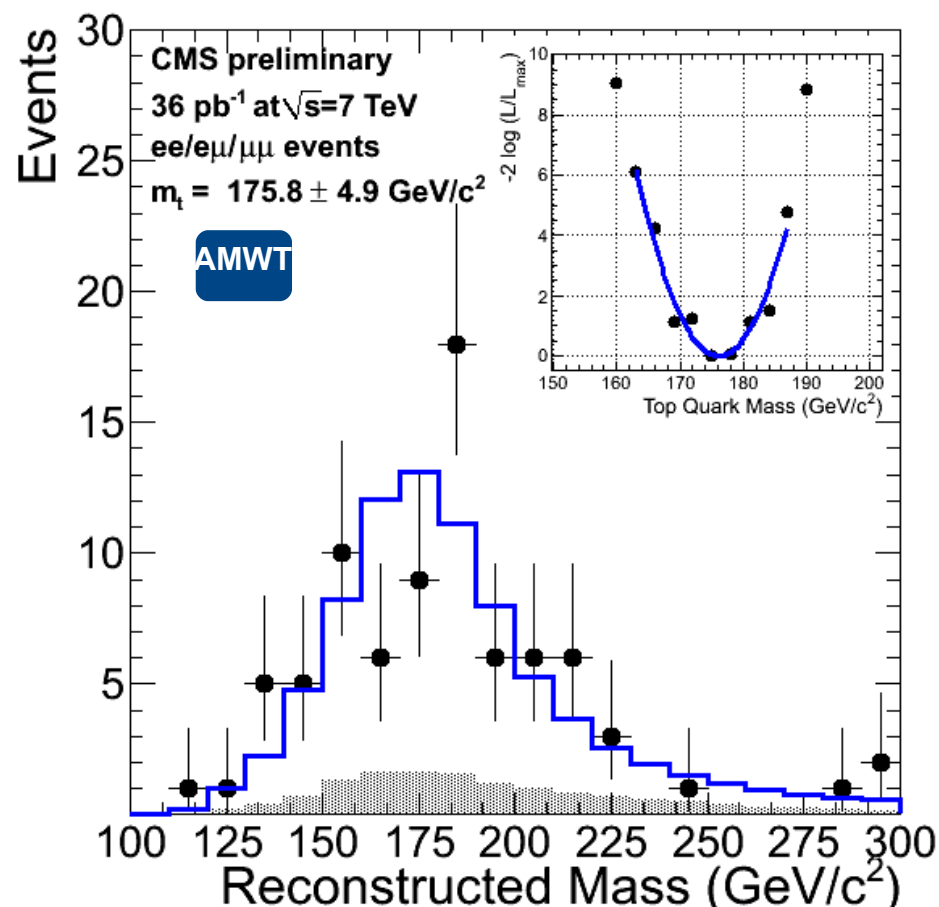
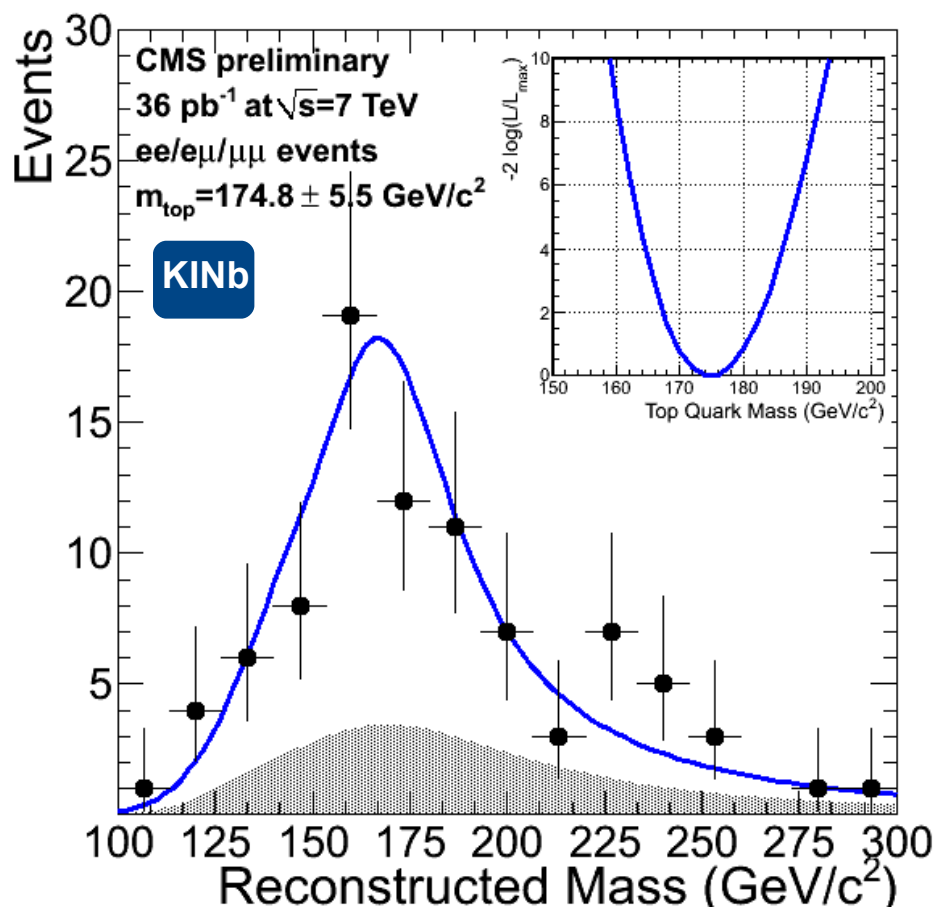
- Apply likelihood fit to data
- **Combine** fit to events with **0, 1 or ≥ 2 b-tags**
- Both methods are expected to be linear for m_{top} measurement (i.e. $m_{\text{out}} \propto m_{\text{in}}$)
- **Minimize residual biases** with calibration of the fit to MC based pseudo-experiments



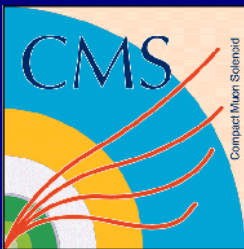


Top mass fit (results)

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Top mass measured within the expectations with both methods.



Systematic uncertainties

(evaluated from pseudo-experiments)

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- **Jet energy scale (JES) is the most relevant unc. ►**

- JES is varied up and down and difference in m_{top} accounted
- **flavor (b) specific uncertainty added in quadrature**

- **MC related systematics**

- **Difference with respect to reference sample used for signal**

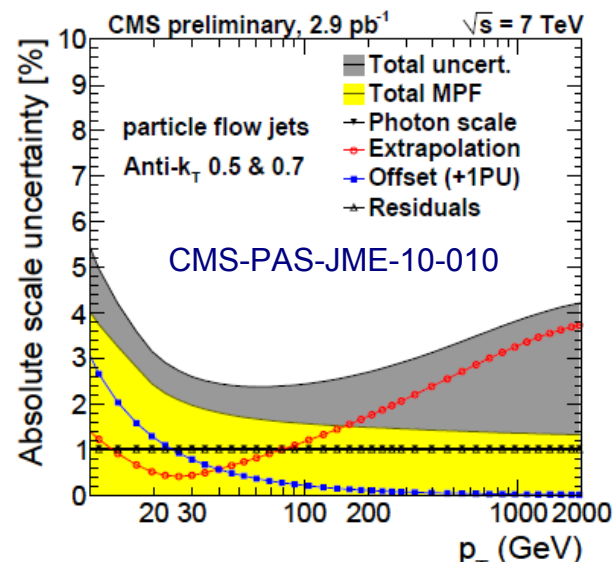
- MC : compare Alpgen and Powheg with Madgraph
- Vary factorization/matching scales, amount of ISR/FSR
- Underlying event: compare Pythia tunes (cf. arXiv:1010.3558v1)

- **Pileup**

- **PDF** - use PDF4LHC recommendation to sample new mass spectra (cf. arXiv:1101.0536v1)

- **Method specific systematics**

(calibration, resolutions assumed, p_z^{tt} model)



Source	KINb	AMWT
jet energy scale	+3.1/-3.7	3.0
<i>b</i> -jet energy scale	+2.2/-2.5	2.5
Underlying event	1.2	1.5
Pileup	0.9	1.1
Jet-parton matching	0.7	0.7
Factorization scale	0.7	0.6
Fit calibration	0.5	0.1
MC generator	0.9	0.2
Parton density functions	0.4	0.6
<i>b</i> -tagging	0.3	0.5



Combination of the results

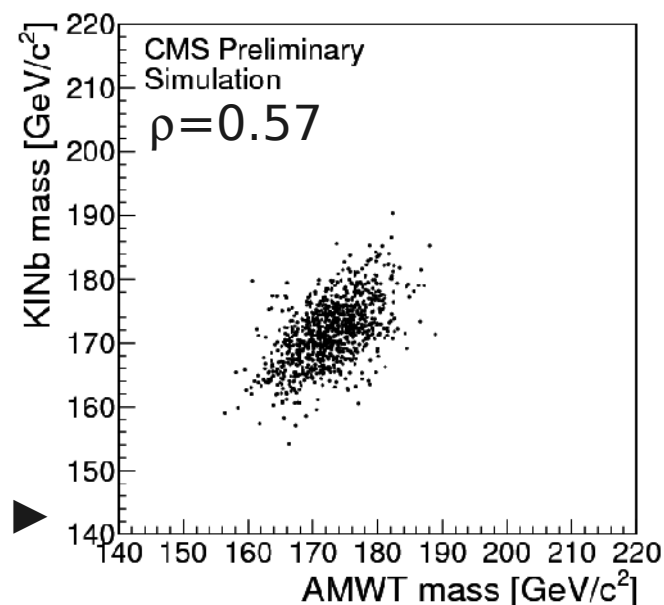
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- The previous **results can be combined** using a Best Linear Unbiased Estimator

- Minimize:
$$S = \sum_{i,j} (m_i - m') H_{ij}^{-1} (m_j - m')$$

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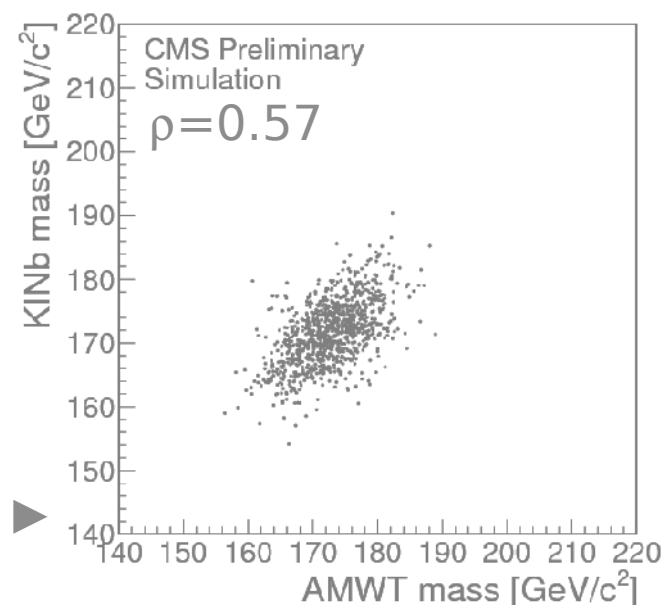
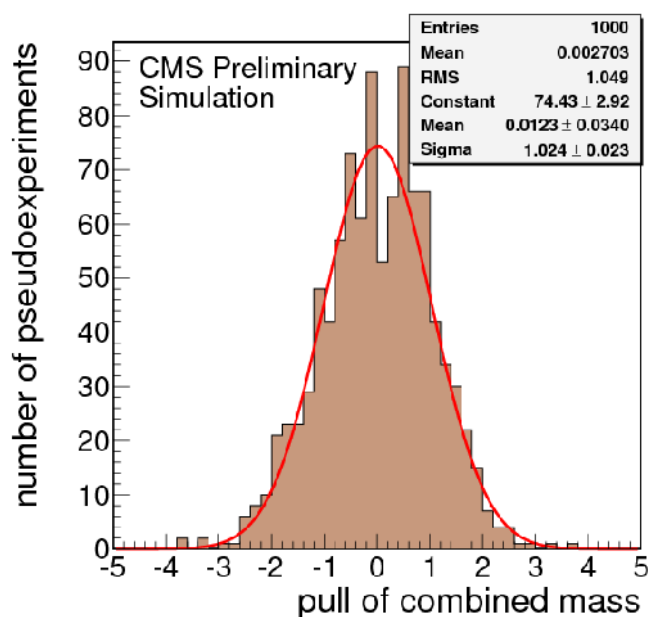
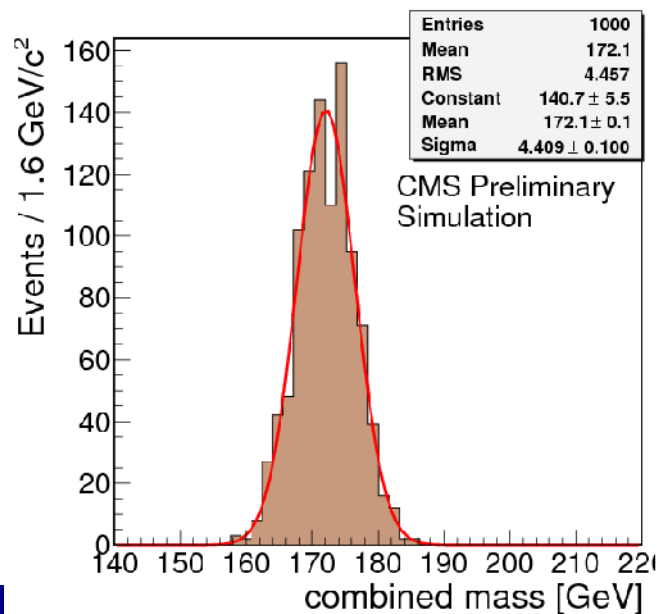
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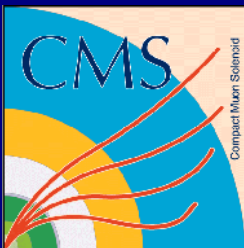
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◀ Method is unbiased and the final uncertainty is correctly estimated

Result: marginal gain in the final stat. uncertainty



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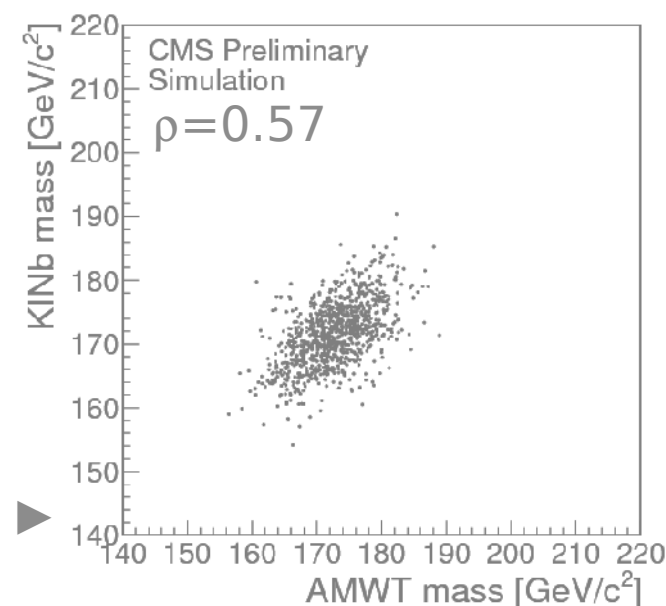
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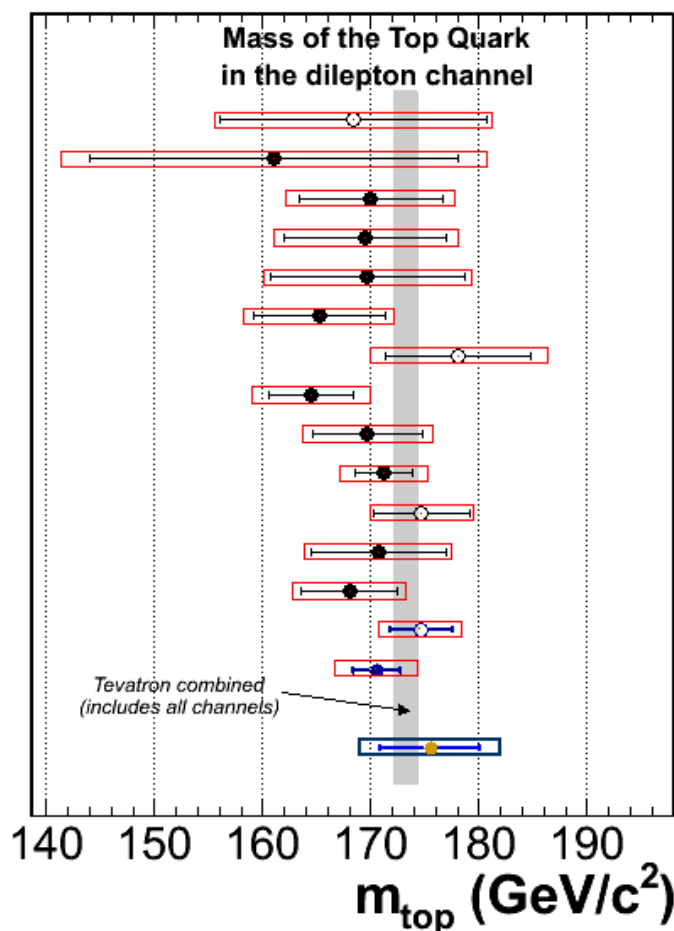


Method	Measured m_{top} (in GeV/c^2)	Weight
AMWT	$175.8 \pm 4.9(stat) \pm 4.5(syst)$	0.65
KINb	$174.8 \pm 5.5(stat)_{-5.0}^{+4.5}(syst)$	0.35
combined	$175.5 \pm 4.6(stat) \pm 4.6(syst)$	$\chi^2/dof=0.040$ (p-value=0.84)

Conclusions

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- **First top quark mass measurement which was not performed at the Tevatron**
- The **dilepton channel** is used
 - **Lower background** contamination
 - **Underconstrained system**
- Two different **template-based methods** compared: KINb and AMWT
 - Similar uncertainties (stat. and syst.) expected in both cases
 - Use of b-tagging information and combination of fits improves resolution



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CMS preliminary 2010

Measurement is the outcome of the first year of data taking/analysis in CMS

All details in CMS-PAS-TOP-10-006

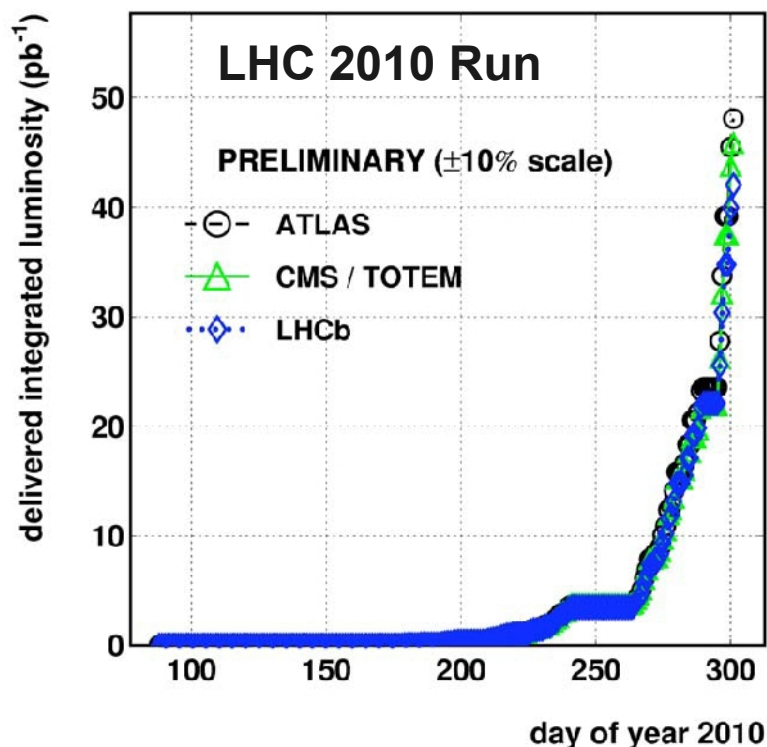
Backup slides

The collider and the detector

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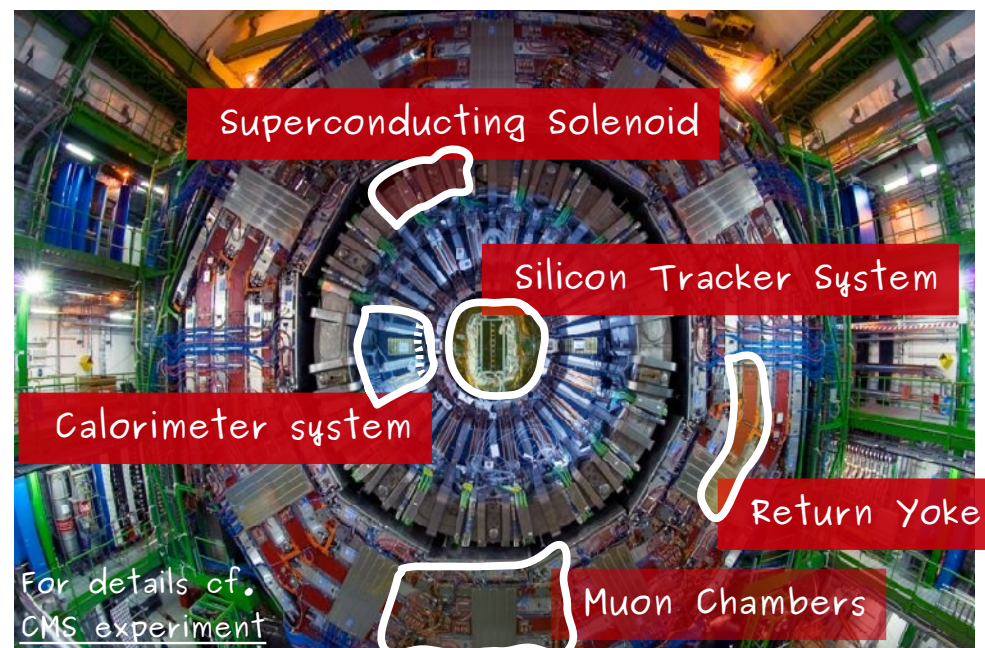
- LHC : p-p collisions at $s^{1/2}=7$ TeV**

- Total integrated lumi. **delivered: 50 pb^{-1}**
(half of it in one week)
- Peak luminosity: 205 $\mu\text{b/s}^{-1}$



- Compact Muon Solenoid (CMS)**

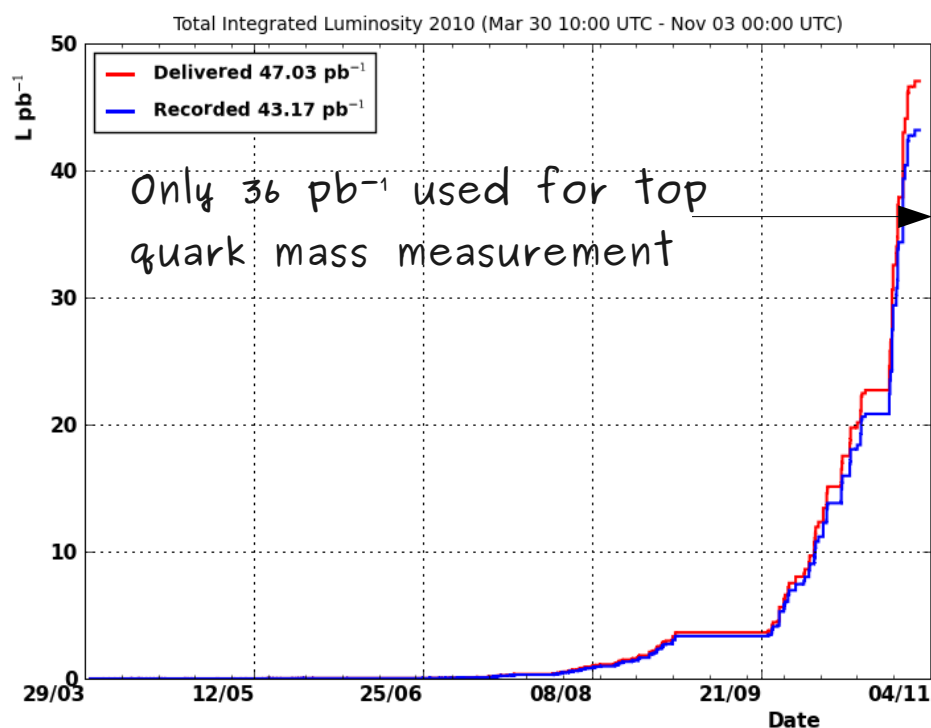
- Collected 93% of the delivered luminosity
($L_{\text{acq}} \approx 43 \text{ pb}^{-1}$)
- Sub-detectors operational >99% of the run period
- More details see K. Hoepfner's talk



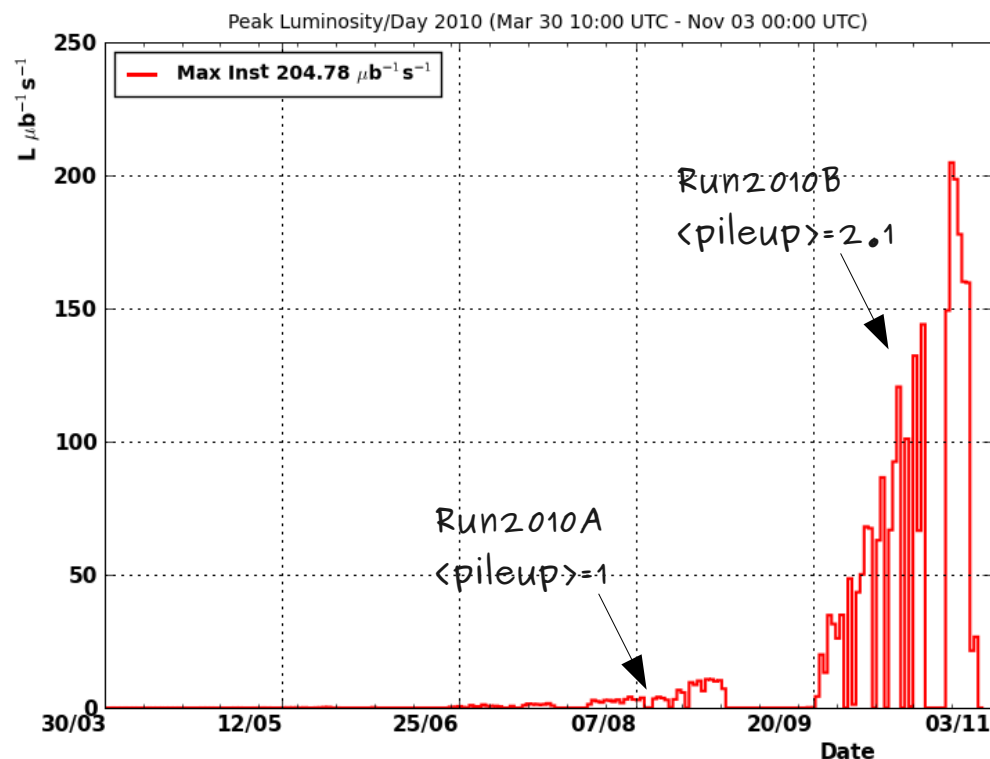
CMS Luminosity for 2010 data

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Total Integrated Luminosity



Maximum Instantaneous luminosity / day



- Estimated from the energy deposition in the Forward Hadronic calorimeter:

- Average number of towers without energy deposition μ mean number of interactions / bunch
- Average transverse energy μ luminosity

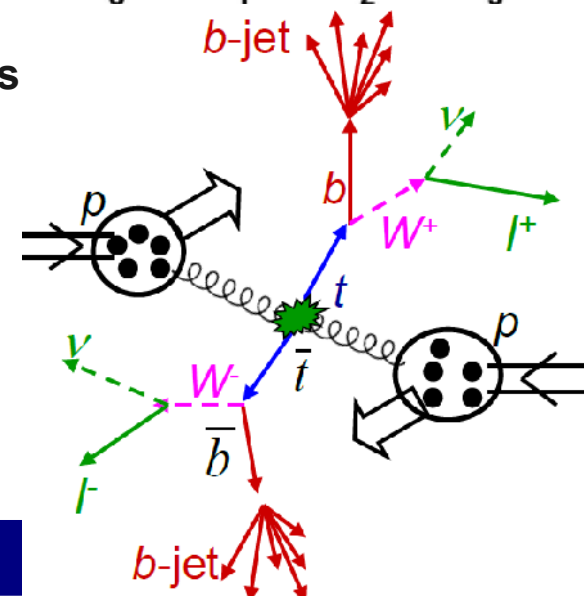
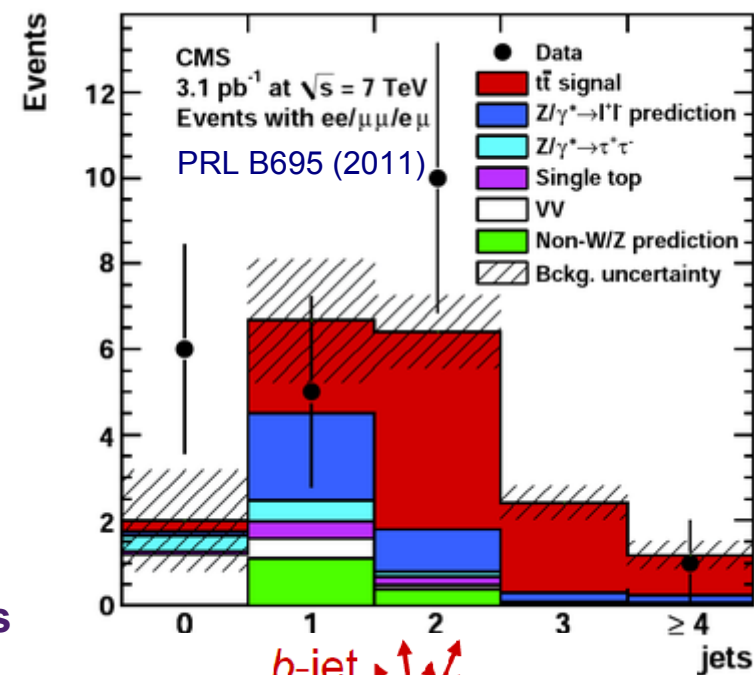
- An **uncertainty of 4%** has been estimated for the 2010 measurements

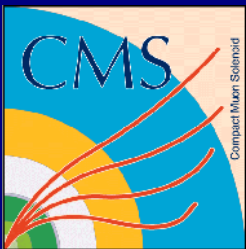
Not relevant for m_{top}

Top quark Physics

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- **Re-discovered at the LHC with early 2010 data** ►
cf. most recent measurement in Julien Caudron's talk
- **Production in pairs is the dominant channel**
 - Dominant channel: gluon-gluon fusion
 - $\sigma_{t\bar{t}}^{\text{NNLOapprox}}(m = 173 \text{ GeV}, 7 \text{ TeV}) = 163_{-5}^{+7+9} \text{ pb}$ PRD 82 (2010)
- Top quarks **decay promptly** without hadronizing
 - Reconstruct final state products \Rightarrow **reconstruct bare mass**
 - $B(t \rightarrow bW) \approx 100\% \Rightarrow$ **2 b-jets + leptons / neutrinos / light jets**
- **The dilepton channel** ►
 - Lowest statistics BR $\approx 5/81$
 - Leptons are produced promptly, are isolated and have high p_T
 - **Background is small**





Other challenges in measuring m_{top}

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- **Top pair production is rare:** $\sigma_{t\bar{t}}/\sigma_{pp} \approx 2 \times 10^{-9} \Rightarrow$ event selection is crucial
- **Background processes** may mimic top pair decays

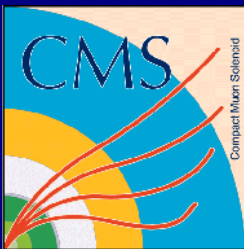
Process	$\sigma_{t\bar{t}}/(\sigma \cdot BR)$	Jets	Heavy flavor	Isolated leptons	E_T^{miss}
QCD	$\approx 10^{-9}$	multijets	$b\bar{b}$	-	instrumental
W	≈ 0.005			1	from $W \rightarrow l\nu$
Z	≈ 0.05	ISR/FSR	$b\bar{b}/c\bar{c}$ assoc. prod.	2	instrumental
Di-boson	≈ 2.1		from W/Z decays	≥ 2	from $W \rightarrow l\nu$
Single top	≈ 3.8	≥ 2 jets	1 b -jet	≥ 1	from $W \rightarrow l\nu$

→ Events with 2 isolated leptons are the main source of background to the dilepton channel

- **Pileup may introduce uncertainties**

→ jet energy scale, MET measurement, extra jets/leptons

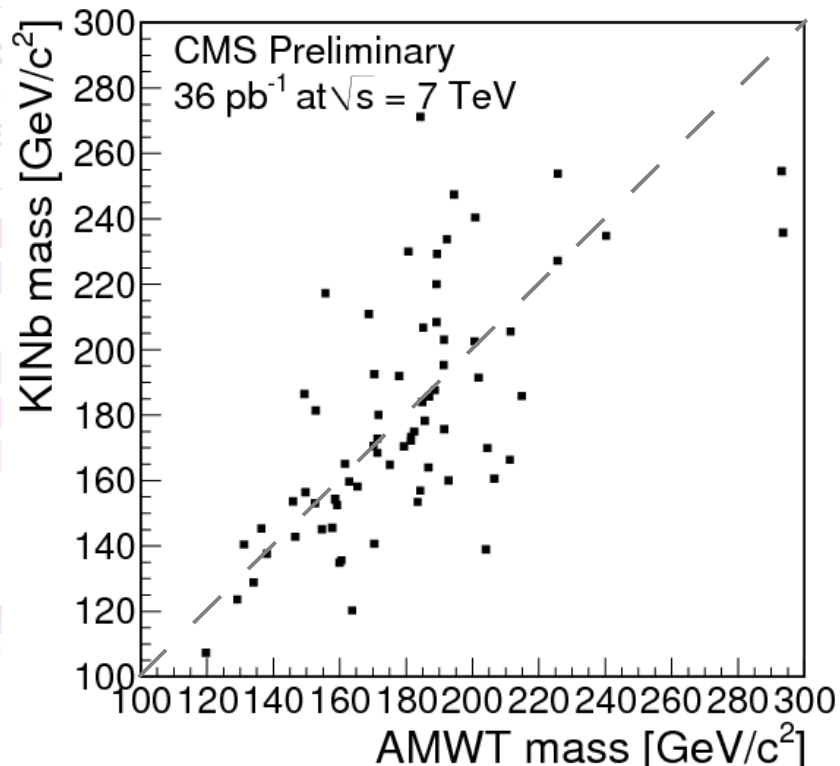
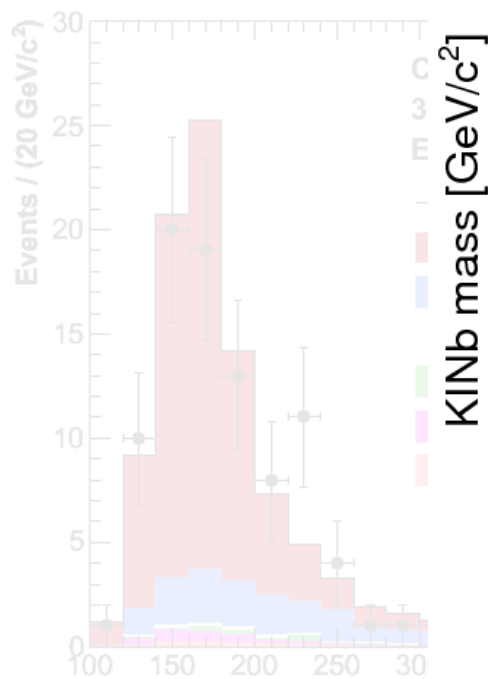
→ $\langle N_{\text{pileup}} \rangle \approx 2.1$ for most of the data collected in 2010



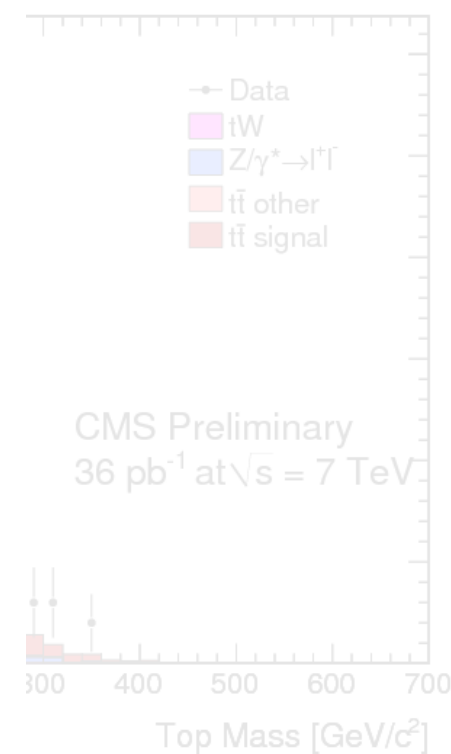
Top mass distributions

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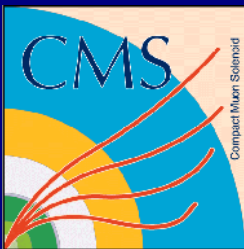
KINb



AMWT



For top mass measurement restrict to $100 < m < 300$ GeV/c²



Data-driven estimate of Drell-Yan contamination in the dilepton channel

cf. TOP-10-005

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- For $ee/\mu\mu$: **DY contamination outside Z-peak** is projected from events found inside

$$N_{\text{out}}^{ee,\text{data}} = \underbrace{R_{\text{out/in}}^{ee}}_{\text{ratio outside/inside from DY simulation}} \left(N_{\text{in}}^{ee,\text{data}} - \underbrace{0.5 N_{\text{in}}^{e\mu,\text{data}} k_{ee}}_{\text{correction for non-DY contribution in Z-veto region from } e\mu \text{ sample}} \right)$$

- Expect good agreement from MC

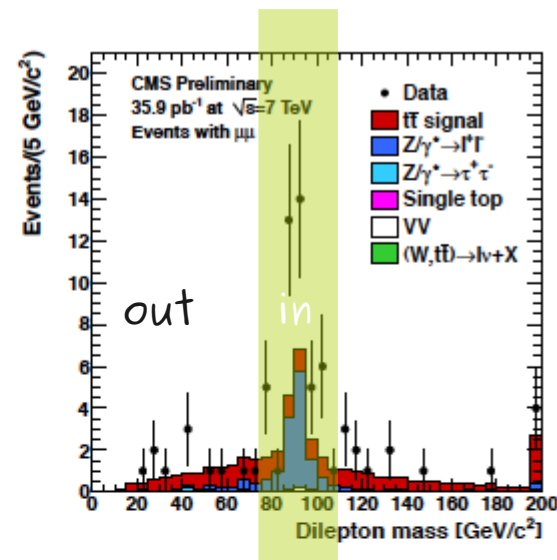
→ Ratio depends on jet multiplicity and MET

⇒ assign **variation** as **systematic** unc.

- Method estimates an **excess of DY in data** ►

→ Scale factor ~ 2 for both channels

→ in the table: statistical uncertainties only



Sample	$N_{\text{jet}} = 1$	$N_{\text{jet}} \geq 2$
e^+e^- : $\cancel{E}_T > 50$ GeV in $N_{\text{jet}} = 1$, $\cancel{E}_T > 30$ GeV in $N_{\text{jet}} \geq 2$		
Simulated	0.1 ± 0.1	1.7 ± 0.3
$R_{\text{out/in}}$	0.13 ± 0.13	0.14 ± 0.03
Estimate from data	0.2 ± 0.3	3.0 ± 1.8
$\mu^+\mu^-$: $\cancel{E}_T > 50$ GeV in $N_{\text{jet}} = 1$, $\cancel{E}_T > 30$ GeV in $N_{\text{jet}} \geq 2$		
Simulated	1.4 ± 0.3	3.3 ± 0.5
$R_{\text{out/in}}$	1.1 ± 0.3	0.22 ± 0.03
Estimate from data	5.2 ± 3.4	7.4 ± 4.1

Top mass fit

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KINb

$$\mathcal{L}(m_t) = \mathcal{L}_{\text{shape}}(m_t) \times \mathcal{L}_{n_b}$$

$$\text{where, } \mathcal{L}_{\text{shape}}(m_t) = \frac{e^{-(n_s+n_b)}(n_s+n_b)^N}{N!} \prod_{i=1}^N \frac{n_s P_s(m_i|m_t) + n_b P_b(m_i)}{n_s + n_b}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{n_b} = \mathcal{G}_{\text{auss}}(n_b, \bar{n}_b, \sigma_{n_b})$$

Unbinned fit, background is constrained

AMWT

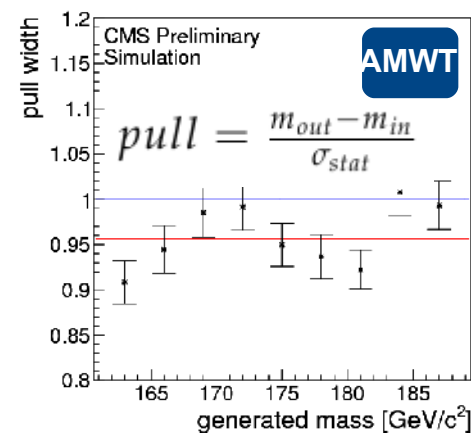
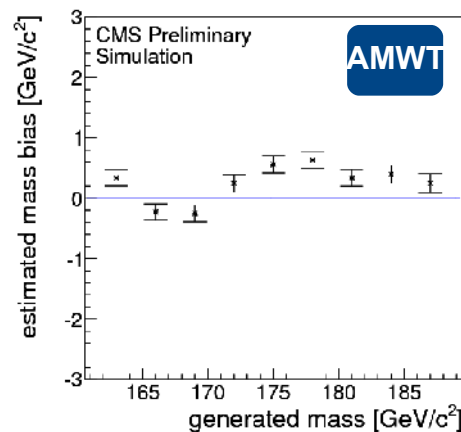
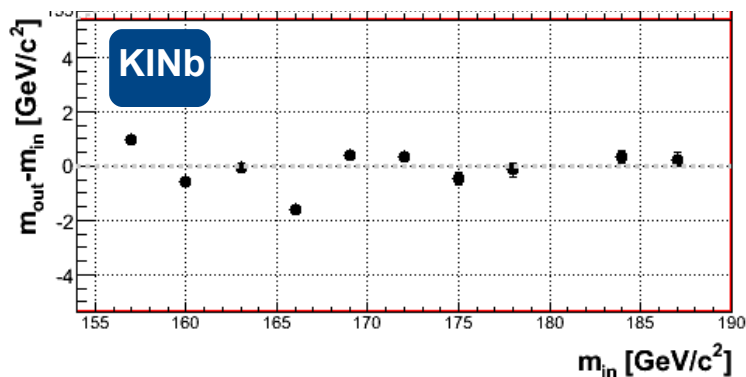
$$L(m_t) = \prod_{i=1}^{n_{\text{bin}}} \left[\frac{n_s s_i(m_t) + n_b b_i}{n_s + n_b} \right]^{n_i}$$

Binned fit, background is fixed

Choose mass point closest to the minimum and fit parabola to a $\pm 12 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ neighborhood

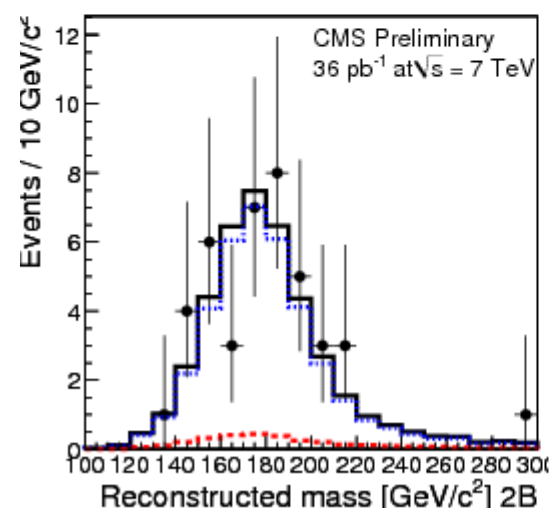
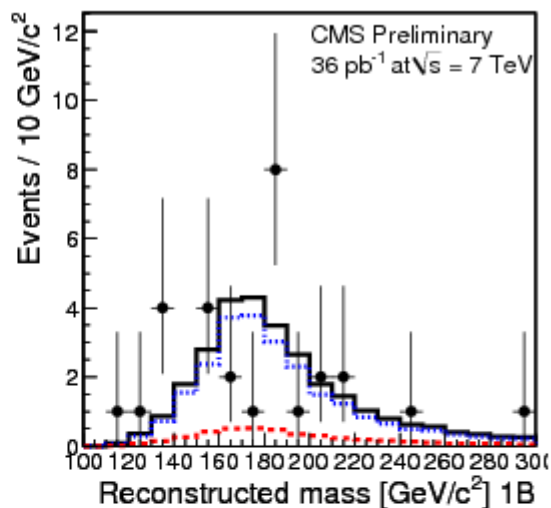
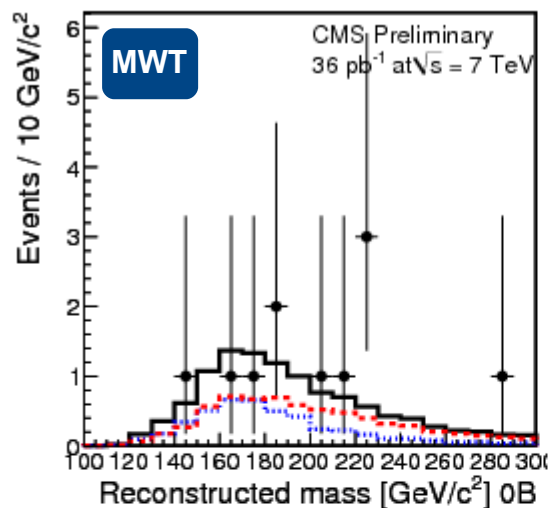
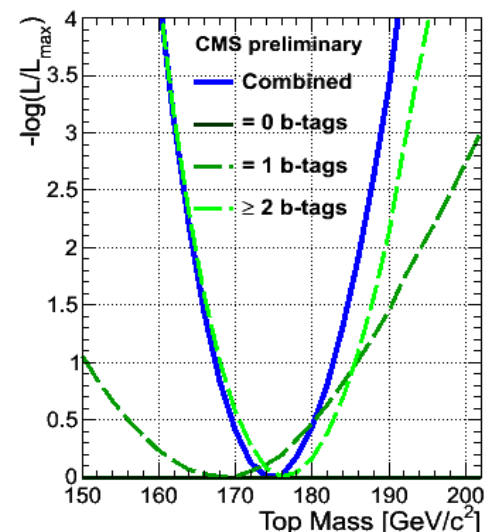
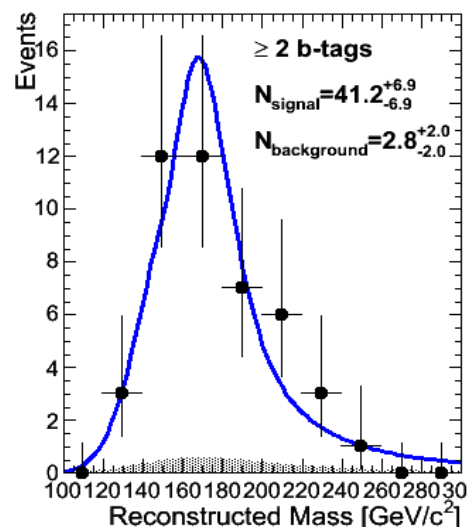
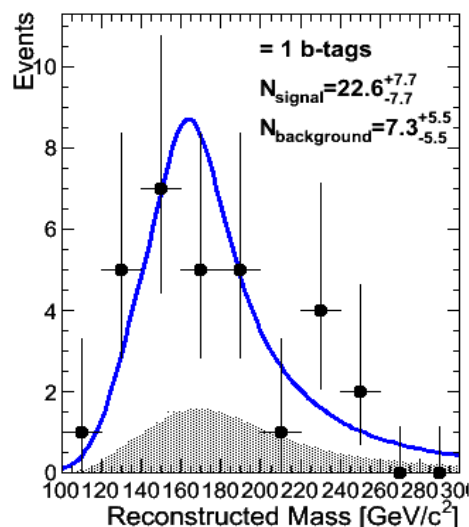
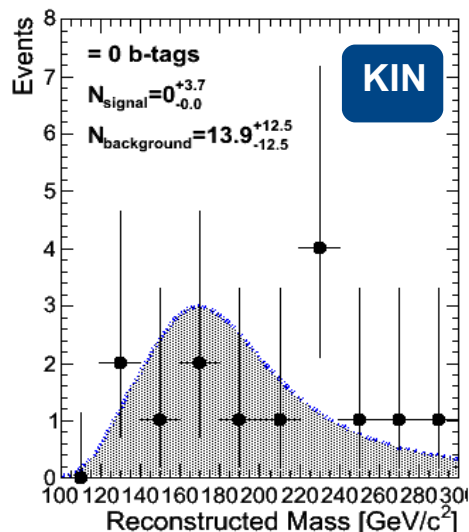
- Background introduces a extra bias (both KIN and MWT)
- Signal template parameterization introduces residual biases (KIN only)

→ KIN calibration constant: $-0.7 \pm 0.2 \text{ GeV}/c^2$



Top mass fit by categories

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Summary of systematics

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Source	KINb	AMWT	Correlation factor	Combination
jet energy scale	+3.1/-3.7	3.0	1	3.1
<i>b</i> -jet energy scale	+2.2/-2.5	2.5	1	2.5
Underlying event	1.2	1.5	1	1.3
Pileup	0.9	1.1	1	1.0
Jet-parton matching	0.7	0.7	1	0.7
Factorization scale	0.7	0.6	1	0.6
Fit calibration	0.5	0.1	0	0.2
MC generator	0.9	0.2	1	0.5
Parton density functions	0.4	0.6	1	0.5
<i>b</i> -tagging	0.3	0.5	1	0.4

- **JES is the dominant systematic uncertainty**

→ Cross-check by reverting measurement:

- fix m_{top} to world average and determine $\langle b\text{-JES} \rangle$ needed to measure it
- $\langle b\text{-JES} \rangle$ determined with an uncertainty of 4.8%

- **Underlying event / pileup** uncertainties are expected to be reduced with further understanding of LHC data and dedicated subtraction algorithm in 2011 - cf. PLB 659 (2008)

- Table shows systematics with uncertainties >0.5 GeV (many other sources were considered, e.g. lepton/MET scales)